

Now that the Millersburg church has three ministers we are looking for more fields of labor and as I have labored for the church for a long time it is agreed that Brother Haden take the old field and I look for another. In view of this fact I accepted an invitation that has been given more than a year ago to preach in a union church west of Millersburg. I began a meeting over a week ago. The brethren are assisting me in this meeting. These are the fragments of the United Brethren church. This being a new field for the Brethren I have taken pains to preach our doctrine and there are some who told me they thought it would be a good thing if they all would shift in a body into the Brethren church, and I verily believe this will be the result finally, and we wait and pray the victory for the Lord, and we appeal to the brotherhood to pray in our behalf in this work. Hope it will be a great victory for Christ.

I will close by stating we have labor to spare and should any of the churches want our help in evangelistic work we will heed your call. And neither one of us are greedy for lucre and will not set prices as hirelings on our labor, but will trust God that he will move the hearts of men that we will not suffer along that line.

JOHN A. MYERS.

Williamstown, Ohio.

Please allow me space for a few items although at a late date. We have not heard from this place for some time. We are still trying to serve the Lord. Have fair congregations, held our communion Oct. 9, quite a number being present. Had an enjoyable feast with the Lord. We believe these meetings to be a great help to each congregation. They bring us in closer touch with God. At a recent church meeting brother A. J. Baughman was hired as our pastor for the coming year.

We are glad to see that the subscription list to the EVANGELIST is being swelled to the extent it is, yet it should be in many more homes, yes, in each and every home.

When we read of Brother Welty's first experience as pastor, we remembered that Brother Baughman met with a similar experience. Members of the church, neighbors and friends to the number of ninety-two came in upon them on surprise with baskets loaded with the good things of earth. This was not so much of a surprise to Brother Baughman as there were some movements on foot that led him to suspicion. Dinner being served and all had partaken abundantly, all repaired to the parlor where a season of prayer was conducted, then Brother and Sister Baughman were each presented with a rocking chair. The S. S. C. F. then presented

Sister Baughman with a nice quilt which they had prepared for her in her absence. This latter part being the surprise it is true as our editor has said, if there is anything to interfere with a man's speech it is something of this kind, but Brother Baughman did fairly well, considering circumstances. His response to remarks were brief, but to the point.

Hope Brother Welty has recovered from the shock and as those things must come that he equip himself for such occasions. We wish Brother Welty success in his new field of labor.

CORRESPONDING SECRETARY.

Enon Iowa.

Our meetings closed last evening with a communion. Rain prevented a full attendance, but we that were there had a blessed feast.

Our meetings resulted in three accessions—two by baptism and one by relation. We were very sorry our meeting was broken into by D. L. Miller's lectures at the G. B. church, but, as they had arranged for them several months ago, of which we were ignorant, no one was to blame. It was one of those unfortunate circumstances that are unforeseen. But God we know makes "all work for good to those who love him." Our work is getting back into working shape again.

We are planning a Bible school of two weeks after corn husking. We are planning to get some good brother to help us to interest and instruct the people in the Word.

All departments of the work are moving along nicely. The K. C. is doing nicely. The S. S. C. E. has been working each week lately, besides having their regular monthly meetings.

"Hitherto hath the Lord helped us," and he will again.

J. L. GILLIN.

Kanemorado Items.

Our conference held here at Falls City, Neb., has been reported by our secretary, and was well attended and the questions discussed and coming before the conference was very profitable.

One feature of the conference was the placing of an evangelist in the field for this ecclesiastical year. The mission work in the district has not received the encouragement and support that it should have had in the past, and is not receiving the encouragement at present that it should to make it a success. Now I trust our Mission Board selected at the last conference will at once make a strong effort to raise the funds to help our evangelist in the field. The field is large. The har-

vest may be great, but the means to send forth laborers is not forth-coming.

We praise the Lord for the meeting held at McLouth by Brother Louie Bauman. It was at this place that the District Conference was held last year, and while attending that conference we came in closer touch with these people whom we admired because of their open-heartedness, social qualities and devotedness to the cause of their Master, and with the twenty-one added through Brother Bauman's efforts they are strengthened numerically and we trust spiritually and prepared for greater work. Praise the Lord for this ingathering.

On Wednesday evening, September 29, we preached a sermon on trine immersion, after which three persons received believer's baptism and were received into the church.

Our communion services will be held at the Silver Creek church on Sunday evening, November 7. An invitation is extended to the neighboring churches to enjoy these services with us.

We expect to dedicate our new church in November, May God's blessing rest upon the work everywhere.

J. R. KELLER.

College Notes.

I have been to but one congregation since the last report, but I am glad to say that that church would not have it said that it was the first failure. So I can yet say there are no failures to report. These congregations will not rest until their entire amounts are raised.

Now friends, let us rally to this work. If this property with all that has been paid for it is to be lost to the Brethren church, let not the shame rest upon Indiana. If Indiana is to fail let not the reproach rest upon your congregation. If there is failure, some congregation will be to blame. Shall it be yours?

G. W. RENCH.

Aurelia, Iowa, Notes.

We are pleased to inform the readers of the EVANGELIST that the brethren and sisters of the Mt. Zion Brethren church at this place are still upholding the gospel banner and are living in peace and harmony, for which we feel thankful. We have not as yet engaged any pastor for this year. Brother H. S. Enslow's time expired April 1, 1897, and he returned to Kansas. He was a faithful worker, and may fruit be gathered in time. Two immersions during the year.

Since April our local Elder, W. S. McClain, has filled the pulpit and has given us fine gospel sermons. We have regular prayer meeting Wednesday evening of